

THE LACONIAN SYSTEM.

At one of the great land manufacturing establishments in Cincinnati, where they "try out" six hundred hogs a day, the entire animal, exclusive of the hams, is reduced to a grease suit by a remarkable summary process. The factory has seven large circular tanks, of an accurate capacity to hold 90,000 lbs. These tanks receive the entire carcass, barring the hams, and the mass is subjected to a steam process with a pressure of 70 lbs. on the square inch, which dissolves it as completely as the aqueduct bath melted the Veiled Prophet. Every drop of oleaginous juice is squeezed out of the quadruped, and its bones are reduced to powder. The fat is drawn off and the residuum used as manure. The idea of feeding the insatiable tanks with a continuous stream of hogs, just as you would feed the hopper of a mill with corn, has something grand and startling in it. One wonders that the porcine genus does not run out under the tremendous consumption; for there are upwards of thirty of these factories in Cincinnati alone, and if they use up two hundred hogs per day, for three months in the year, it involves an annual annihilation of half a million of swine. The sows in half a hog region must be remarkably prolific. And only think of treating the creatures as the French treat frogs—cutting off their hind legs for the table, and making light of all the rest of the carcass! Awful waste, is it not? We never heard of a rasher proceeding.

FOR MOBILE:

Steamer Lowndes, Monday, Dec. 21, 10 A. M.
Stanny South Tuesday, " 23, 10 P. M.
Clara, Wednesday, " 25, 10 A. M.
For freight or passage apply to
TAYLOR HALE & MURDOCK, Agents.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

The subscriber offers for sale or rent, the place which he resides, five miles North of Columbus, on Black Creek, containing two hundred and sixty acres, one hundred and twenty of which is in a good state of cultivation; or one hundred and fifty acres, seventy acres in cultivation, with good gin and gin-house, dwelling, and all necessary outbuildings, together with corn and fodder and all kinds of stock. For further particulars apply to the subscriber on the premises, or to O. T. KEELE, Columbus.
Dec. 22, 1849. J. W. NASH.

Hoop Poles, Staves and Timber.

A Wood Manufacturer for the above mentioned Hoop poles of hickory, white oak, birch, &c.—the former 4 to 4 1/2 inch at small end, cut when the bark holds, and kept out of the water, straight as possible and free from heavy branches.
Also—Cypress staves, 3 feet long with further detailed description.
White Ash, Cypress, Poplar, Maple, Walnut, and other timber.
Small Hickory and White Oak timber.
For further particulars address JOHN HAIG 3d Mobile.

Administrators Notice.

The Probate Court of Lowndes County, Miss., at the Dec. 1849, term thereof, having appointed the undersigned administrator of the estate of Saml. Thompson, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate, to present them properly authenticated for settlement, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred. All persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment.
RICHARD K. THOMPSON, Administrator.
Dec. 22, 1849 4t.

100 NEGROES & LAND.

AT CAMDEN, Madison county, on the 1st of January, 1850, will be sold about
ONE HUNDRED FINE NEGROES,
mostly in families. Also a plantation, near Camden, of 2500 acres, of which, about 1,000 acres is in cultivation, and has been cleared within five years, the land lies in one compact body, forming nearly a square; a large portion is creek bottom, and in the language of an eminent gentleman whose estate joins it, it is "very valuable and should produce as profitable results as any in Mississippi." Also, a stock of as fine MULES as any in the State, with cattle, hogs, provisions, &c. Among the negroes are an excellent carpenter and blacksmith, and an experienced and tidy driver.
It is desirable to sell the whole estate together, on long time, (not exceeding 7 years,) but if it cannot be done, the negroes will be sold in groups, or families and the land, mules, &c., separate, either for cash or on credit.
Information can be had by addressing a note to me, at Camden, or by personal enquiry there, at any time after the 17th of Dec. W. E. JOHNSON.

COLUMBUS HOTEL,

BY JAMES JONES & SON,
COLUMBUS, MS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS having taken charge of this large and commodious house, situated in the central part of the city, formerly occupied by John T. Ridley, would respectfully inform the public that it has undergone a thorough repair.
Servants we trust that with our long experience and undivided attention, we may be able to please every one while under our roof.
Our table will always be supplied with the best the Market affords. In fact, neither pains nor expense shall be spared to render our guests comfortable.
If our horses will be sent to the well known Livery Stable of WILLIAM CADY, who keeps the best of provender and attentive ostlers.
Our TERMS will be moderate.
Nov. 10, 1849-4t

The State of Mississippi,

LOWNDES COUNTY.

To all persons interested in the Lands, tenements and hereditaments of Samuel Thompson deceased.

YOU are hereby notified to be and appear before the Probate Court of Lowndes County State of Mississippi on the first Monday in February, A. D. 1850. Then and there to show cause if any you can why the undivided half or moiety of the following lands to wit: the north east quarter the south east quarter of the north west quarter the east half of the south west quarter and south east quarter of section number twenty-nine, and the west half of the north east quarter and the east half of the north west quarter of section number thirty-two all in township seventeen of range number eighteen west in Lowndes County State of Mississippi, should not be sold according to the petition of Richard K. Thompson Administrator of said deceased.
WITNESS the Honorable NATHANIEL E. GOODWIN, Judge of Probate Court of said county, the first Monday in December A. D. 1849. Issued the 13th day of December, 1849.
DANIEL WILLIAMS, CLK.

TOWNSEND'S SARSAPARILLA.

WE have just received a fresh supply of this medicine, the best preparation of Sarsaparilla now in use.
YONGUE & SMITH,
Agents.
Oct. 14, 1848.

DR. A. W. COLEMAN'S

GONORRHEA MIXTURE.

(A Vegetable Preparation.)
Cure warranted. Price \$1.00 per bottle. Prepared and sold ONLY at Coleman's—Tonic Bitter Depot, No. 444 Dolphin Street, Mobile. (Aug 18-49, 1y.)

List of Letters.

REMAINING in the Post Office at Columbus, Miss., on the 1st of DECEMBER, 1849.

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| A
Adams, Matilda B
B
Biggers, John M
Beall, Z M
Betts, A B
Bilbo, Wm N
Brooks, Wm C
Bowden, Rev James
Bell, Almer
Bladue, Calven
Brown, Thomas
Bingham, John G
Borra, Professor
Boncher, Elisha
Or Thomas B Wood
Bowlin, D R
Brewton, J C
C
Curtiss, George 3
Cheek, John 2
Chandler, Hiram
Chaplin, Mrs A
Cook, Rev Geo
Chandler, David
Cannon, Wm R
Cannon, Thos E
Cox, Miss P C
Copeland Alexr, Sr
Campbell George W
Carroll Charles A
Casey Miss Mary
Coxe John C, Sr
D
Daffin John
Dykes Samuel
Dyche Samuel J
Dandridge Edward W
Duhain Louia
Dysart Joseph
E
Ector John T 2
Ector Chelsea (servant)
care John T Ector
Ellis Hugh H
Ezell Wm
Eubank Joseph
F
Frederick L S W
Ferguson Mrs Emeline
Fox M A
G
Griffin Thomas 2
Gary Miss C A
Givens Rev Newton
Good J J
Gilmer Nicholas
Goldshy John L
Graves Ralph
Givens Miss Mary
Gidson Mrs Mary
Gidson Jremiah
Garther Henry
Gay Miss Cynthia J
Goodson Ezekiel
Gentry Allen
Gentry S M
Garvin John
H
Holland Wm T
Harpole Alexander
Hall Thomas or
Hills Taylor
Hutchins Rev James
Hall Saml B
Hancock Chesterfield
Hayden Geo B
J
James F M
Jones J A R
Jones P H
Jones R D
Jones J V
Jones H N
Jones T H
K
Kendall D G
L
Love Wm
Lauderdale Miss S D
Ladd Noble
Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say they "are advertised."
A. H. JORDAN, P. M.
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the undersigned at the December Term A. D. 1849 of the Hon. Probate Court of Noxubee County, Mississippi on the estate of Talmon Walker, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against the same are requested to present them duly authenticated within the time prescribed by law or they will be forever barred.
JAS R. CAVETT, Administrator.
Macon, Miss. Dec. 5th 1849. |
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Fresh Drugs and Medicines.

White Lead, Oils &c. Just Received.

WE have now a full stock, and Physicians, Planters and others can be supplied with pure and Fresh Medicines upon the most reasonable terms. Call at the sign of the Big Mortar, South Side of Main Street, next door to Phillip's corner, Hunt's Building. BLAIR & SMITH,
Columbus, Miss. Dec. 8, 1849.

WEEKLY PACKET.

THE SPENDID STEAMER

LOWNDES,

OTIS, MASTER, H. L. JAYNE, Clerk

WILL MAKE WEEKLY TRIPS, from Mobile to Columbus the ensuing Season commencing with the first rise of water: Leaving Mobile every Friday evening, and Columbus every Monday at 10 A. M. The LOWNDES having been completely overhauled is now in fine order, her Cabin being all in State Rooms, is not surpassed by any boat in the trade for comfort and safety. The regularity and safety with which the LOWNDES has heretofore made her Trips, added to the well known ability of her officers, should ensure her a liberal patronage. All engagements made with the Agents will be promptly fulfilled.
For freight or passage apply on Board, or to
TAYLOR, HALE & MURDOCK
Sep 15, '49-4112

REGULAR EIGHT DAY PACKET, FOR

COLUMBUS

TO BE DEPARTED

THE FINE, NEW, DOUBLE ENGINE, PASSENGER STEAMER

CLARA,

J. M. BRAIARD, Master, IF IL SO, CLARK

WILL run as above during the season, commencing with the first rise of water. The CLARA is a new first class boat, with all the modern improvements for comfort and safety. She is provided with a superior fire engine and hose. All engagements made by the agents will be promptly fulfilled.
For freight or passage apply on board or to
TAYLOR, HALE & MURDOCK,
Sept. 15 1849. Agents.

JOB WORK NEATLY EXECUTED

AT THIS OFFICE.

M. W. PETERSON'S

OYSTER SALOON AND RESTAURANT.

ON MARKET STREET.

Two Doors North of Wilkinson & Taylor's.

WILL OF FARE:

Oysters, boiled, stewed, roasted, fried and raw; Lobsters and Sardines;

Ham and Eggs;

Fried Venison, Beef Steak and Chicken;

Mutton Chops, Pork Chops, &c. &c.;

Turtle Soup, &c.

And every thing in their line of business on the shortest notice.

He will also keep the best of CANDIES, at Wholesale and Retail. All orders from the country for Candies promptly attended to. Price at Wholesale 25 cents per pound, Retail 30 cents per pound. Columbus, Miss. Dec. 1st, 1849.

INSURANCE.

Protection Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut.

INCORPORATED IN 1825. Annual Premiums, Capital stock, and Surplus Fund,

\$1,000,000

This old and responsible company continues to issue policies on the most favorable terms on dwelling houses, household furniture, Stores, Stocks of goods, warehouses, and contents, Mills and Manufactories, &c., against loss or damage by fire. Also on goods, wares and other Merchandise, against the hazards of inland transportation, and upon the cargoes of Sea Vessels.

The Protection Insurance Company having in the last 25 years, paid many Millions of Dollars at their several agencies throughout the United States and the British Provinces, have established a just reputation for solvency and fair dealing, which challenges comparison with any other insurance company on the continent of America. The annexed extract from an article on the subject of Insurance companies, taken from the "New York Day Book," exhibits briefly the standing and policy of the Company.

"The 'Movement' of the ancient and always prosperous city of Hartford, have for half a century been famous throughout the Union for the care, discretion, rigid honesty, and unvarying success, with which they have formed and managed corporations of this description. No Hartford Bank or Insurance Company has ever failed! These Companies have for more than a whole generation scattered their risks in nearly every State in the Union, and have never failed to pay the innumerable losses which they have insured against."

All losses arising upon policies issued by the undersigned, will be promptly adjusted and paid at the General Agency office, located at Cincinnati, O. A large portion of the funds of the Company, (including all premiums received at the western agencies,) is deposited with the General agent of the company at Cincinnati, for the payment of western and southern losses. Apply to J. N. MULLIN, Agent for the town of Columbus, and for Lowndes County, Miss. nov 17 1849 3m.

DENTISTRY.

R. O. DAVIDSON, Dental Surgeon.

At the solicitation of many friends has determined to locate permanently in Columbus, and respectfully offers his services to its citizens and the surrounding country. He will occasionally visit Starkville and Macon; and will when in those places be pleased to serve the citizens of Oktibbeha and Noxubee counties generally.

From long experience in his profession he can promise faithful operations and at moderate prices. He begs leave to refer to the following medical gentlemen in Columbus.

A. N. JONES, M. D.
D. L. LIPSCOMB, M. D.
S. B. MALONE, M. D.
And W. T. S. BARRY, Esq. of Oktibbeha Co. Columbus, Miss. Oct. 27, 1849.

SIGN OF THE

BIG MORTAR.

(Formerly, Yongue & Smith.)

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS.

PAINTS & OILS, WINDOW GLASS,

PUTTY AND BRUSHES, DYE

STUFFS & GLASS WARE,

PERFUMERY AND FINE

SOAP, STEEL PENS, &

SUPERIOR WRITING

INK.

LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEED,

PATENT MEDICINES OF ALL KINDS,

Pure Old Brandy, Holland Gin & Old

Jamaica Rum, for Medical purposes.

A SUPERIOR ARTICLE OF TEA, both Green and Black.

SUPERIOR CHEWING TOBACCO,

HAVANNAH CIGARS,

DENTAL FILL, TOOLS, TEETH &c.

Physicians Prescriptions carefully put up.

Physicians and Planters will always find at this Establishment, FRESH AND UNADULTERATED MEDICINES—which have been selected with great care for this Market. All purchasers are invited to examine our Stock—for we think they will find it equal (if not superior) as regards quality and variety, to any in the State; and making their purchases altogether from Importing Houses, they are enabled to sell on as good terms, as any Drug House in the South or South-West.

November 17, '49-41y.

AUCTION SALES

THE UNDERSIGNED have recently located in the Rooms of Hunt's building, formerly occupied by A. Thacher, for the purpose of transacting the

Auction & Commission Business

in all its various lines. They will attend to the sales of Merchandise and all other property entrusted to their charge, with a strictness which they hope will give general satisfaction. One of the firm will always be present to attend to any calls.

Columbus, nov. 24-6m E. DICKSON & CO.

LAND! LAND! LAND!!!

THE Subscriber offers for sale the place on which he resides, 2 miles from Columbus Old on the Military road, better known as ROGERS' Old STAND. It contains 55 acres, about one half cleared and the balance in the woods, it is a handsome and pleasant situation for a private residence, and for any person who wishes to engage in the Tavern business, it is one of the best situations for a house of entertainment on the Military road. For terms &c. apply to the subscriber living on the premises.

ADNER M. WALLACE.

Oct. 20th, 1849. 17-6w.

ROBERT DESHA & Co.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE

MOBILE ALABAMA.

G. A. CHANDLER, Agent.

99 1/2 N. 2nd St.

I HAVE a large supply of Rigging and Rope on hand which will be furnished to customers at cost and charges.

IF All Cotton Shipped to the above House in the name of G. A. CHANDLER, on account of the real owner, will be insured.

June 21 1849. 1520 G. A. CHANDLER.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In accordance with an order granted by the Probate Court of Lowndes Co., Miss., at the December term thereof, I will sell at public auction, the following lands, to wit: the north half and the north-west quarter of south west quarter; with east half of south east quarter of section 23, and the south west quarter the west half of south east quarter of section 28; and south half west half of north east quarter of sec. 29; and east half of south east quarter, of sec. 30; all in township 17, range 17 east, the property of John McCona deceased, situated in the Prairie about six miles south west of Columbus.

Sale upon the premises, on Monday the 14th of Jan. 1850. Credit of one and two years, with such less and securities as the law prescribes.

H. H. DAILEY, Adm'r.

Dec. 8th, 1849. 3t.

The Fine and Staunch Steamer

SUNNY SOUTH,

CHARLES MILLER—MASTER.

WILL run regularly as an Eight-day packet, during the ensuing season, between Mobile and

Meriden.

CAPT. MILLER, takes this opportunity to return his thanks to his friends and the public for the patronage heretofore extended to him, and hopes for its continuance. His boat will be thoroughly refitted and refurnished and no pains spared for the comfort and convenience of the travelling community.

TAYLOR, HALE & MURDOCK, Agents.

Nov. 17 '49-4s.

Administrator's Sale

OF LAND AND NEGROES.

ON THE FIRST OF JANUARY, 1850.

PURSUANT to an order of the Probate Court of Lowndes County, State of Mississippi, at the November 7 (1849) term thereof, we will sell at public auction, on the premises, the following lands, (except so much thereof as shall, previous to the day of sale, be set off for the widow's dower), to wit: the S.W. 1/4 of N.W. 1/4, E. 1/2 of N.W. 1/4, S.W. 1/4 of the W. 1/2 of S.E. 1/4 section 11, W. 1/2 of S.W. 1/4 section 12, N.E. 1/4 of S.E. 1/4 section 14, all in T. 17, R. 18 W. Also at the same time and place, all the NEGROES of John McCona (2nd) dec'd.

ALSO on the 7th of January, 1850, the following lands: S.E. 1/4 of N.W. 1/4, E. 1/2 of S.W. 1/4, Lots 6, 7 and 12, all in section 12 T. 17, R. 18 W. The sale of the last described lands will take place on the premises about 13 miles north east of Columbus.

The first sale will take place at the late residence of the dec'd. All on credit of 12 months, bond and approved security required. NANCY McCONA, [Adm'r.]

GEORGE W. VAUGHN, [Adm'r.]

Nov. 10, 1848-5t

The State of Mississippi

LOWNDES COUNTY.

CIRCUIT COURT SEPT. TERM, 1849.

S. S. Franklin & Brothers, Attachment for

8001. vs. \$63 49

Harriet C. Dowling.

THIS day came the Plaintiff by attorney and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant is not an inhabitant of this State, he resides beyond the limits thereof so that the ordinary process of this Court cannot be served upon her; it is ordered by the Court that unless she appear, on or before the next term of this Court to be held on the 3d Monday of March, 1850, and plead, answer or demur, she will be taken for confessed, and judgment taken for the amount in the attachment.

It is further ordered by the Court that a copy of this order be inserted in the Columbus Democrat once a week for six successive weeks. A true copy from the minutes. A. E. LOVE, CLK.

Boykin & Cruise, Pltff attorneys. Nov. 17, 1849

LAND FOR SALE!

A first rate bargain offered.

I will sell on the most accommodating terms—on credit of one and two years—at a valuable plantation formerly known as the CARROWAY tract situated in the South western part of Lowndes county, State of Mississippi. The tract contains 283 acres, about one half of which is in a high state of cultivation. There is a comfortable dwelling house, on the tract—also negro houses, gin house with mill attached, &c. &c. The plantation is considered one of the most valuable of its size in that part of the county. The tenants are all comfortably situated—the location being high and dry at all seasons of the year. The range for stock is excellent.

The terms on which I propose to sell this valuable plantation are most liberal. I will take cotton in payment at as many cents per pound, valued at the market price, as dollars per acre for the land. Possession given the first day of January 1850. Persons wishing to purchase will please apply to John A. Clayton on the premises, or to the subscriber at Murfreesborough Tennessee.

SAM. DAVIS.

There can also be had on the premises of Mr. Clayton a quantity of corn, fodder, cattle, stock, farming utensils &c. S. D.

Oct. 13, 1849. 16—

A GREAT BARGAIN!

HOME OF HEALTH & BEAUTY FOR LIFE

DETERMINED to remove, the subscriber offers for sale the delightful place on which he resides, with its choice and rare Fruits, beautiful GROVE and FINE PASTURE, containing 600 acres, or more if desirable—upwards of 250 milder under good fence and much of it fresh and productive land. Early application will secure a prize from which the purchaser will never willingly part.

Besides the above land the subscriber will sell great bargains in some which lie adjoining, very favorably situated, in half, quarter or eighth sections, and other lands, some of which are a key to a saw and grist mill finely timbered with pine. Those who have bargains should now look out.

Apply to R. OWEN,

or in his absence, EDWARD T. OWEN.

November 10, 1849-5t.

HARRISON & ROBINSON,

Commission Merchants

MOBILE, Ala.

W. W. TOPP, Agent, COLUMBUS, Miss.

WILL advance Cash if desired, on Cotton shipped to their house, and effect insurance on the same. BAGGAGE & ROPE will be furnished to customers on reasonable terms.

Sept. 25th, 1849. 14-6m.

M. W. HOWELL,

RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the citizens of Lowndes County, as a

General Agent and Collector.

And will attend strictly to the collection of all Claims, Notes and Accounts, that may be placed in his hands, at his usual commission, or the commission that may be agreed on at the time by both parties. He is to receive a liberal patronage from those having collecting to do.

He may be found at all times unless absent on business, above his office, now occupied by J. K. PRINCE, as a Magistrate's office. Columbus, Miss., Nov. 8th, 1849.

W. H. D. CARRINGTON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Columbus, Miss.

18-48-4t

DISSOLUTION.

THE Partnership heretofore existing in the name of Curtis & Tucker is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business heretofore will be conducted by George Curtis.

Sept. 16, 1849. GEO. CURTIS.

Soap, Soap!

A VERY SUPERIOR lot of Potash for making soap just received and offered low by

H. S. TAYLOR & CO.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a Deed of Trust in and R. D. Barker, as Trustee of Cash Joiner and Henry M. Jones his wife, on the 12th day of April 1833, and duly recorded in the Probate Clerk's office in Lowndes County, Miss., in record of deeds, Book A. pages 773, 776, 777, to secure certain debts on said deed mortgaged. I as one of said trustees will offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder at the Court house door in the town of Macon, in said county, on the 25th day of February, 1850 the following described tract of land to wit: The east half of section 4, T. 15 N. R. 19 E. except 12 acres from the west side of the same, of equal width, owned by Wm. H. Pope, Esq.; I will convey such title as is vested in me.

[Oct. 15, 1849.] SAMUEL MARTIN, Trustee.

Public Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property.

THE subscribers will offer for sale at the plantation of the late Henry Greer, dec'd, six miles east of Barton and fifteen miles northwest of Columbus, on the 20th of December next, the following property to wit:

About one thousand and forty acres of Prairie and Hammock land, of which there is about five hundred acres cleared and under a good state of cultivation. It is a pleasant and healthy location being well supplied with good water and many other conveniences. They will also sell 12 or 14 head of

Horses and mules, 3 yoke Oxen,